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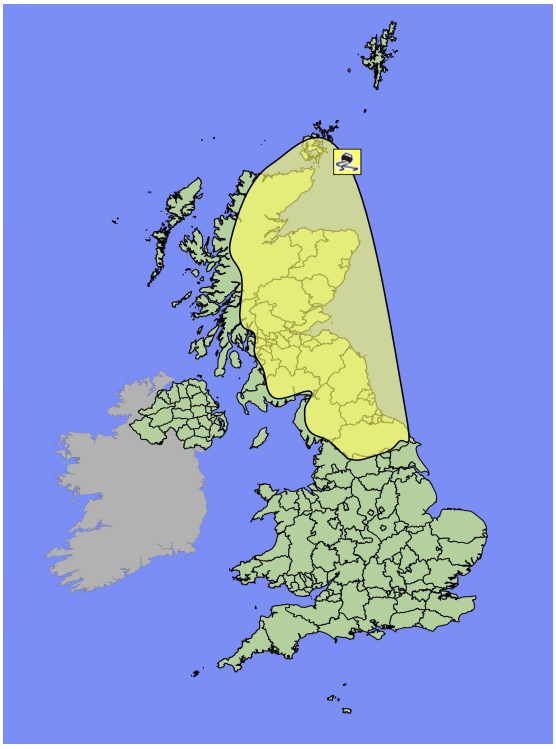

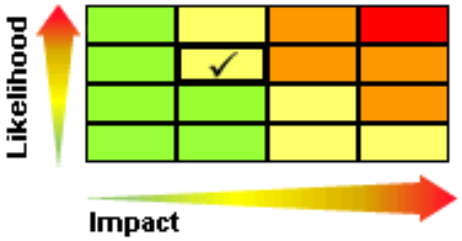

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Although the main area of rain, sleet and snow is clearing, further troughs are likely to run southeastwards across northern Britain late Thursday and early Friday, bringing a continued threat of wintry precipitation, but with continued uncertainty regarding localised snowfalls. Where skies do clear, temperatures will fall quickly, especially over snow covered regions, leading to widespread ice on any untreated surfaces.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Ice**

Valid from **21:30 on Thu, 06th Dec 2012** until **11:00 on Fri, 07th Dec 2012**

Ice will be the main hazard across much of northern Britain overnight and on Friday morning, as wet roads continue to fall below zero at times. Further sleet or snow is likely to occur in places, mainly above around 200 metres elevation where a further 5 cm or so could accumulate, particularly in parts of south and east Scotland late on Thursday evening and northeast England during the early hours of Friday. In these areas local falls of 1 to 3 cm could occur at lower elevations, although many areas will escape. By morning peak time, most of the rain and snow will have moved away, with ice the primary concern.

The public should be aware of possible disruption to travel.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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